

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 - EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - TECHNOLOGY CENTER 1700

Application Serial No. 10/777,412

Attorney Docket No. HES 2002-IP-006415U1P1D2

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	§	
<b>NGUYEN <i>ET AL.</i></b>	§	Group Art Unit: <b>1712</b>
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Serial No.: <b>10/777,412</b>	§	
	§	Examiner: <b>METZMAIER, DANIEL S.</b>
Filed: <b>FEBRUARY 12, 2004</b>	§	
	§	Confirmation No: <b>4317</b>
Title: <b>“METHODS OF TRACKING</b>	§	
<b>FLUIDS PRODUCED FROM</b>	§	Atty. Docket No:
<b>VARIOUS ZONES IN A</b>	§	<b>HES 2002-IP-006415U1P1D2</b>
<b>SUBTERRANEAN WELL”</b>	§	

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**Honorable Commissioner of Patents**  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 TO  
FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED JULY 14, 2008**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 14, 2008 (the “Office Action”), Applicants submit the following:

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.